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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )

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) Group Art Unit: Unknown

Application No.: 10/024,495 )

) Examiner: Unknown

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For: FEATURE EXTRACTION IN  
BEAUTY ANALYSIS )Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application  
as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please insert the following sentence as the first sentence in the specification:

--This application claims priority to U.S. provisional application No. 60/325,559,  
filed October 1, 2001.--

**REMARKS**

The specification has been amended to ensure that the priority claim is  
mentioned in the first sentence of the specification.

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